

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Appl. No. To Be Assigned

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For: **Conjugates of Galactose-Binding
Lectins and Clostridial
Neurotoxins as Analgesics**

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Preliminary Amendment

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In connection with the entry of U.S. National Phase of the above-captioned International Application, filed herewith, and in advance of prosecution, please amend the application as follows:

In the Abstract:

Please add the attached abstract to the end of the specification.

In the Claims:

Please amend the following claims:

- ✓ In claim 4, line 1, delete "any preceding Claim" and insert therefor -- Claim 1--.
- ✓ In claim 5, line 1, delete "any preceding Claim" and insert therefor --Claim 1--.
- ✓ In claim 6, line 1, delete "any preceding Claim" and insert therefor --Claim 1--.
- ✓ In claim 7, line 1, delete "any previous Claim" and insert therefor --Claim 1--.

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